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education

2009
MFA Illustration, Academy of Art University
San Francisco, CA

2004
BA Graphic Design, San Diego State University
San Diego, CA

experience

02.10

Fuse Project

Guitar Hero 6: Warriors of Rock

Call of Duty: Black Ops

Contributed to initial ideation and execution of preliminary packaging solutions for each title. Worked with art directors to create compositions within specific stylistic parameters.

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Present Creative

Undisclosed iPhone/Facebook app

Researched and developed in-game illustrations to communicate mood and narrative. With original photography, produced heavily photo-composited artifacts consistent with established aesthetics.

2008

Creature Design

Studied anatomical fabrication with a distinctly zoological approach under Terryl Whitlatch, of Star Wars acclaim. Projects required practical skeletal/muscular construction and appropriate exterior texture/pattern.

2008

Mural Execution

Worked within a team to research, design and execute a Renaissance-themed mural at the National Shrine to St. Francis of Assisi in North Beach, San Francisco.

media

Digital

Photoshop CS3

Illustrator CS3

Corel Painter X

Microsoft Word

Traditional

Graphite

Acrylic_Oil_Watercolor

Pen_Ink